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TREASURY FOR BARR

E. O. 11652: ADS, DECLAS 12/31/73

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SUBJECT: ADB REVIEW OF GUIDELINES FOR PROCUREMENT

1. BANK STAFF CURRENTLY REVIEWING ALL ASPECTS OF ADB'S GUIDELINES FOR PROCUREMENT. WORKING PAPER TO BE CIRCULATED AT SOME POINT IN NEAR FUTURE, PROBABLY NO SOONER THAN EARLY FALL FOR SUBSEQUENT DISCUSSIONS IN BOARD LEADING TO POSSIBLE MODIFICATIONS OF GUIDELINES BY YEAR- END.

2. ADB STAFF HAS REQUESTED SUGGESTIONS OR COMMENTS FROM USADB ESPECIALLY IN LIGHT OF BARR/ PIMENTA TRIP TO MANILA IN FEBRUARY. HAVE IN HAND " ADB PROCUREMENT SURVEY/ SUMMARY RECOMMENDATIONS" IN WHICH POINT NUMBER 10 ADDEES POSSIBLE CHANGES IN ADB PROCUREMENT POLICIES. WE WOULD LIKE TO REQUEST REVIEW OF THOSE SUGGESTIONS TO DETERMINE IF FURTHER ELABORATION OR ADDITIONAL POINTS NECESSARY/ OR DESIRAABLE

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SUCH THAT USADB CAN PASS ALONG SPECIFIC RECOMMENDATIONS
TO ADB STAFF FOR CONSIDERATION IN DRAFTING OF WORKING
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